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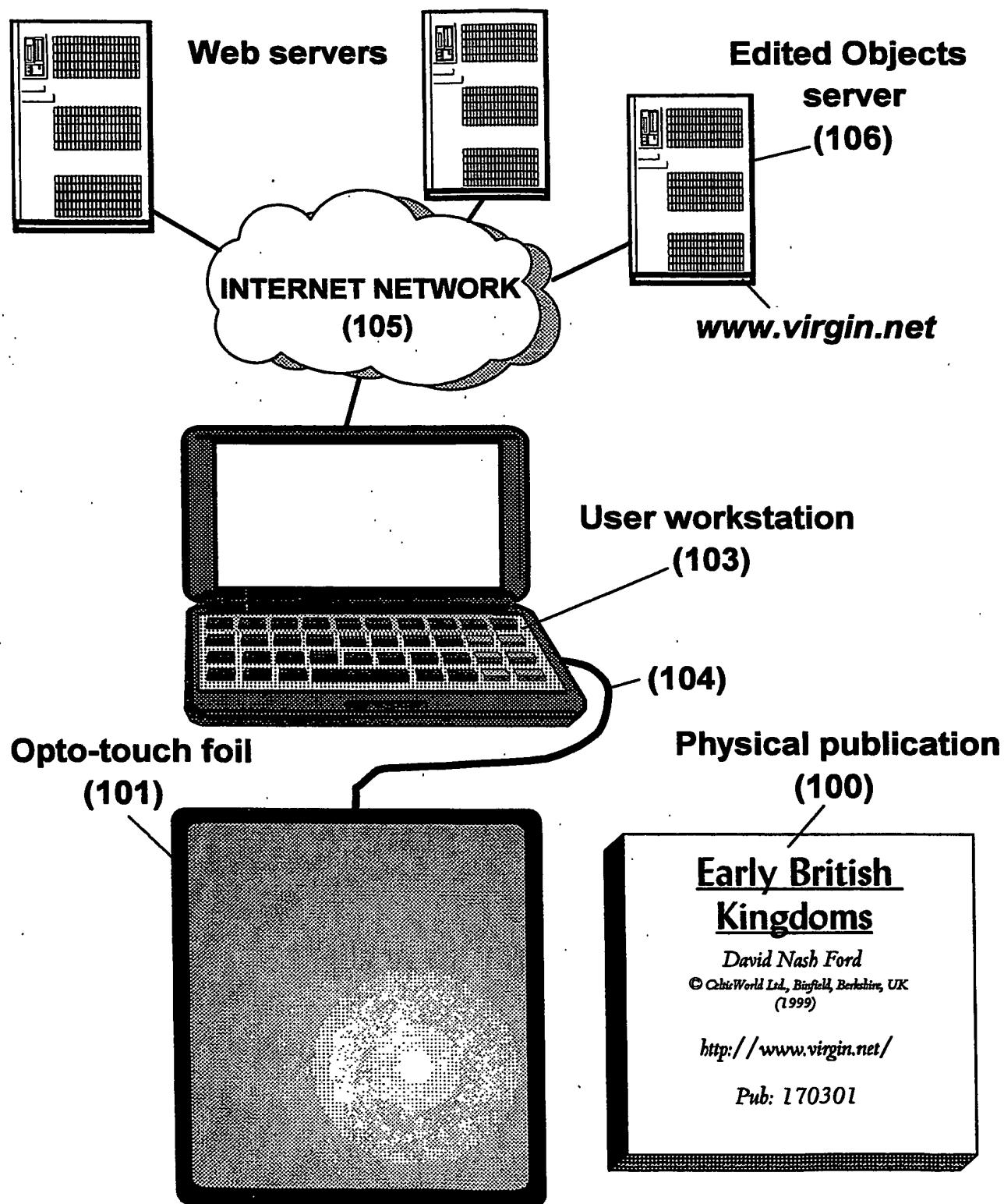


Fig. 1: Main components of the invention

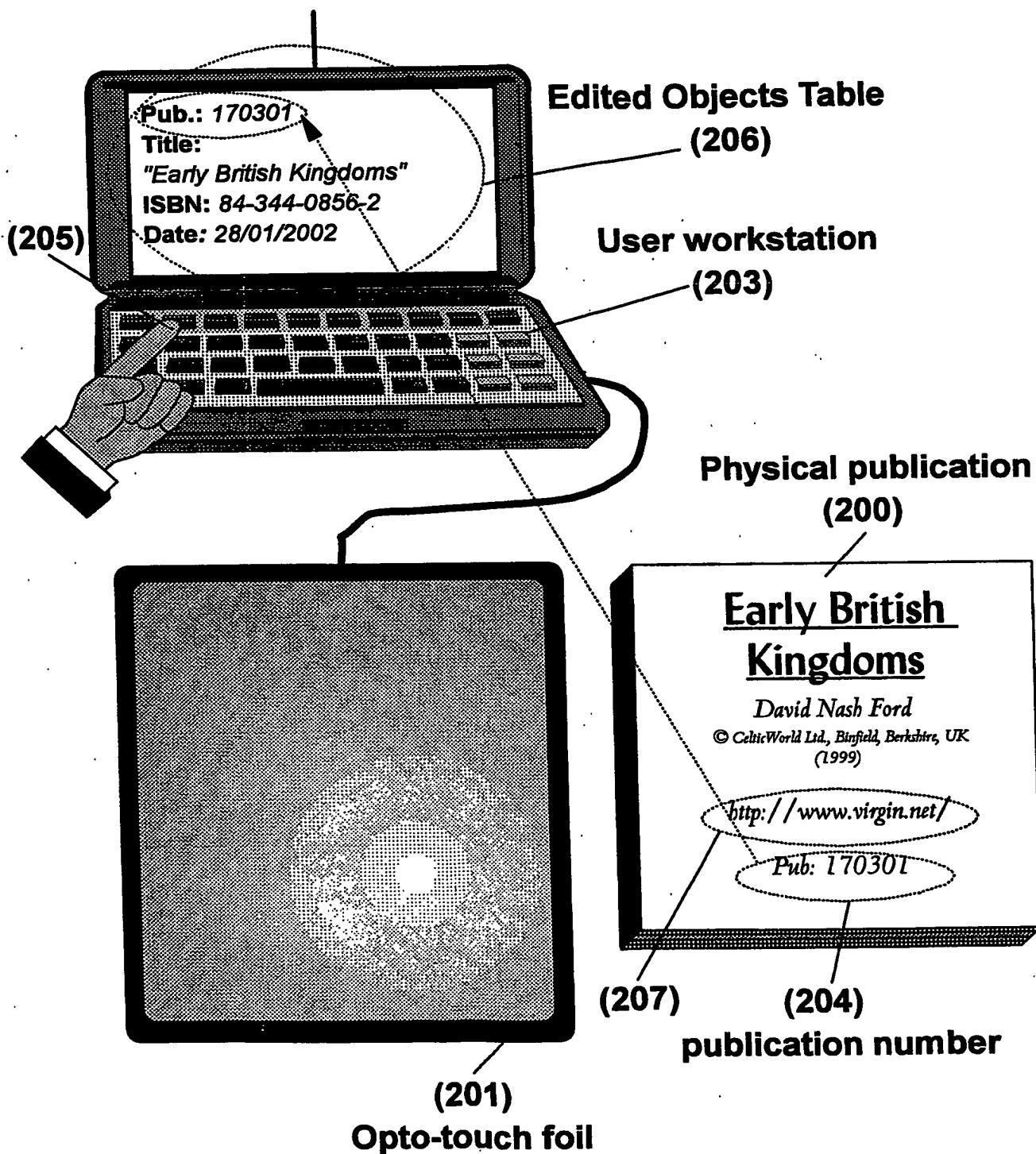


Fig. 2: The user enters the publication number and accesses the associated Edited Objects Table

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Edited Objects server: www.virgin.net

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Publication: 170301—(303)

(301)

Title: "Early British Kingdoms" —(304)

Author: David Nash Ford of Binfield, Berkshire, UK, (305)

Date: 28 / 01 / 1999 — (306)

ISBN: 84-344-0856-2 — (307)

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Item position	Item Name	Edited Object Path
X= 45; Y=130	Buellt & Gwerthrynon	c:\170301\1\bueilt.html
X=205; Y=170	Caer-Baddan (Bath)	Edited_object_not-found
X= 75; Y=190	Caer-Celemion (Silchester)	c:\170301\1\vortigern.mpg
X=110; Y=255	Ceredigion	c:\170301\1\ceredigion.doc

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Item position	Item Name	Edited Object Path
X= 30; Y= 95	Celtic gods	c:\170301\115\celtic-gods.html
X=255; Y=150	Avalon	c:\170301\115\avalon.html
X=225; Y=160	Modron	Edited_object_not-found
X=190; Y=230	Arthur	Edited_object_not-found

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Item position	Item Name	Edited Object Path
X= 25; Y= 30	St.Joseph of Arimathea	c:\170301\139\joseph.html
X= 80; Y= 75	The Kings of Dumnonia	c:\170301\139\dumnonia.doc
X=140; Y=135	Eudaf Hen & Conan Meri	Edited_object_not-found

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Fig. 3: An Edited Objects Table for a publication

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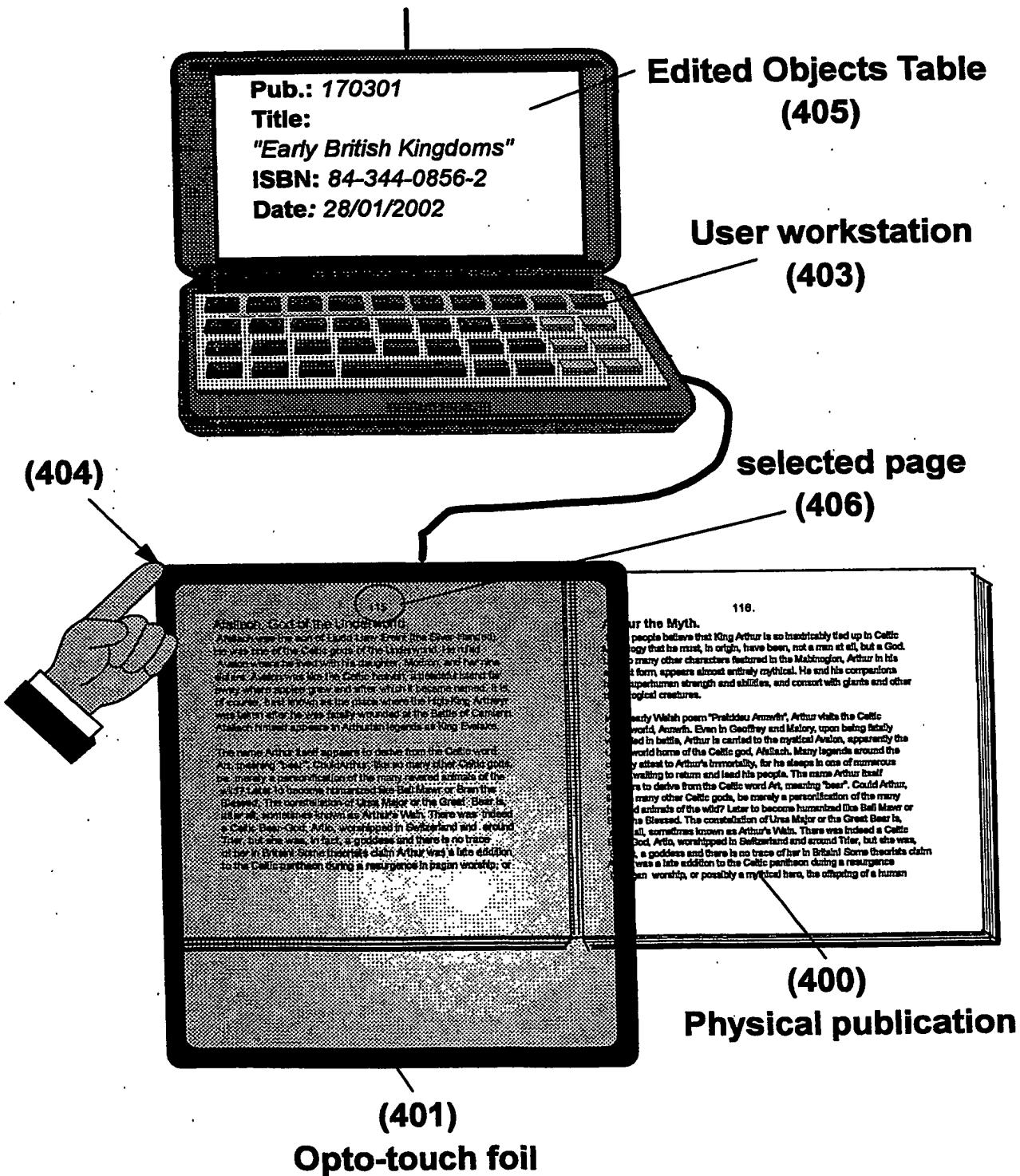


Fig. 4: The user selects a page of physical publication and places aligned transparent opto-touch foil over the selected page

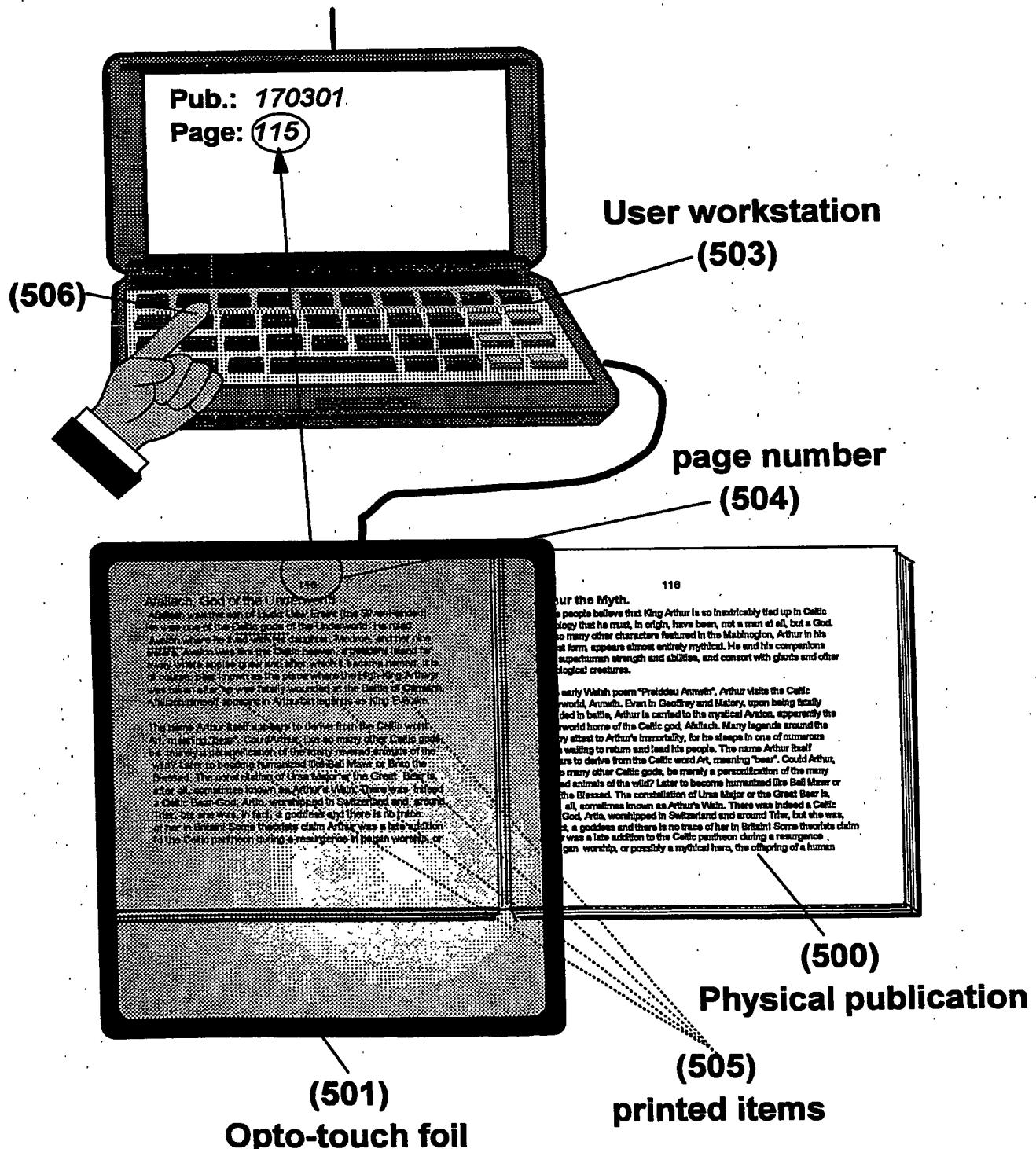


Fig. 5: The user enters the page number on the user workstation and some printed items of this page are highlighted by the opto-touch foil

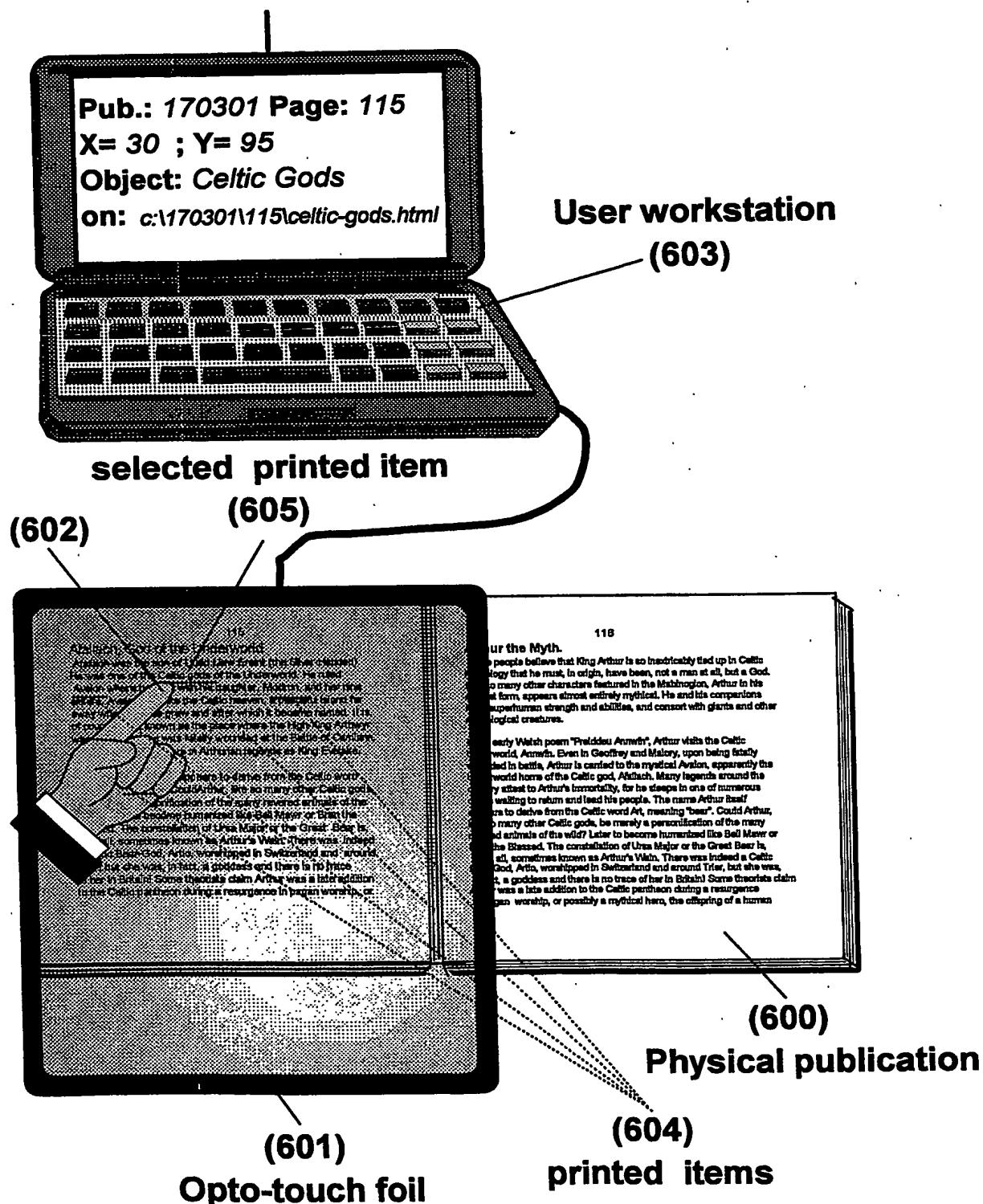


Fig. 6: The user touches the opto-touch foil over a selected printed item (e.g., Celtic gods)

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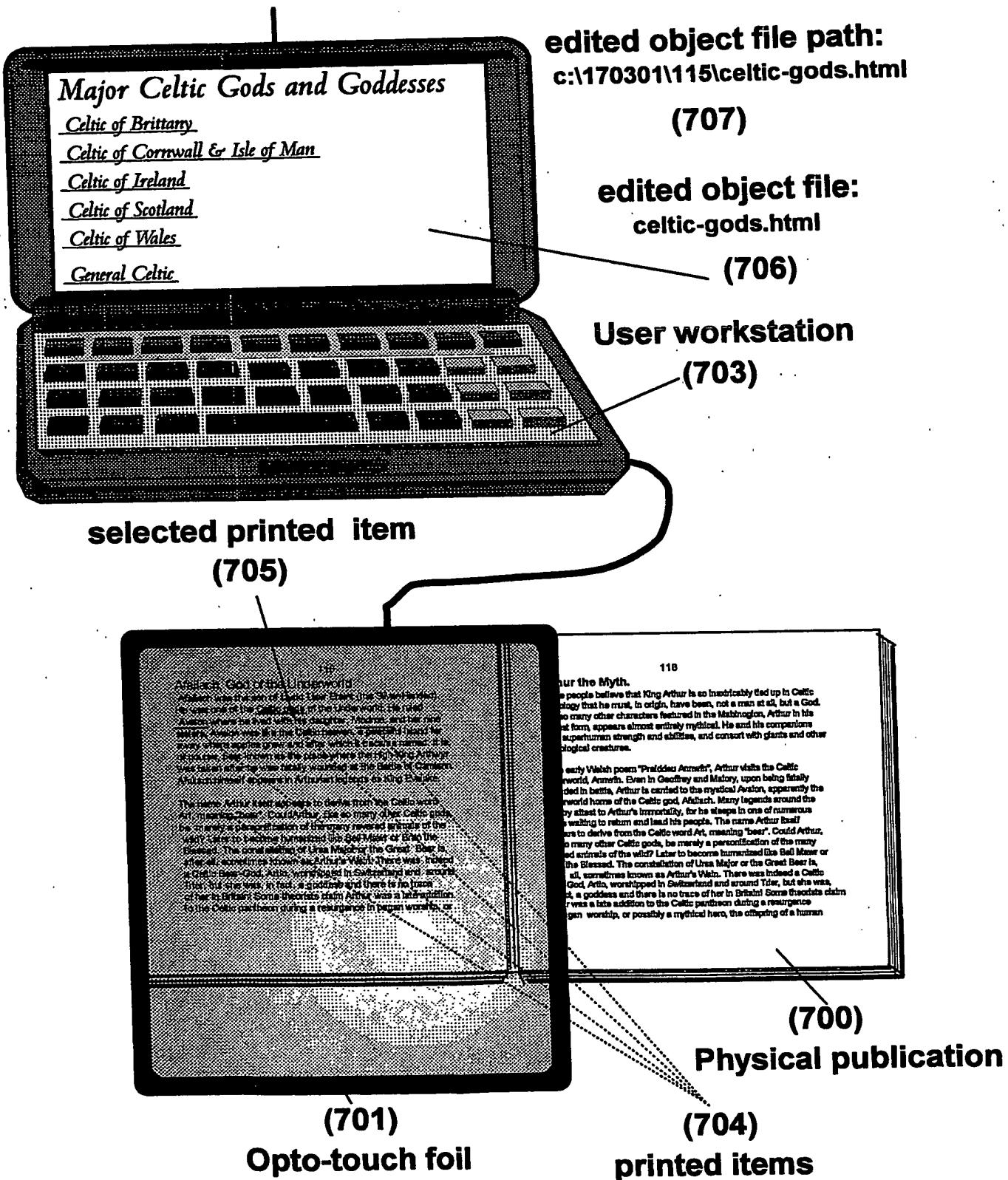


Fig. 7: When a license has been purchased by the user, the selected edited object is retrieved and displayed

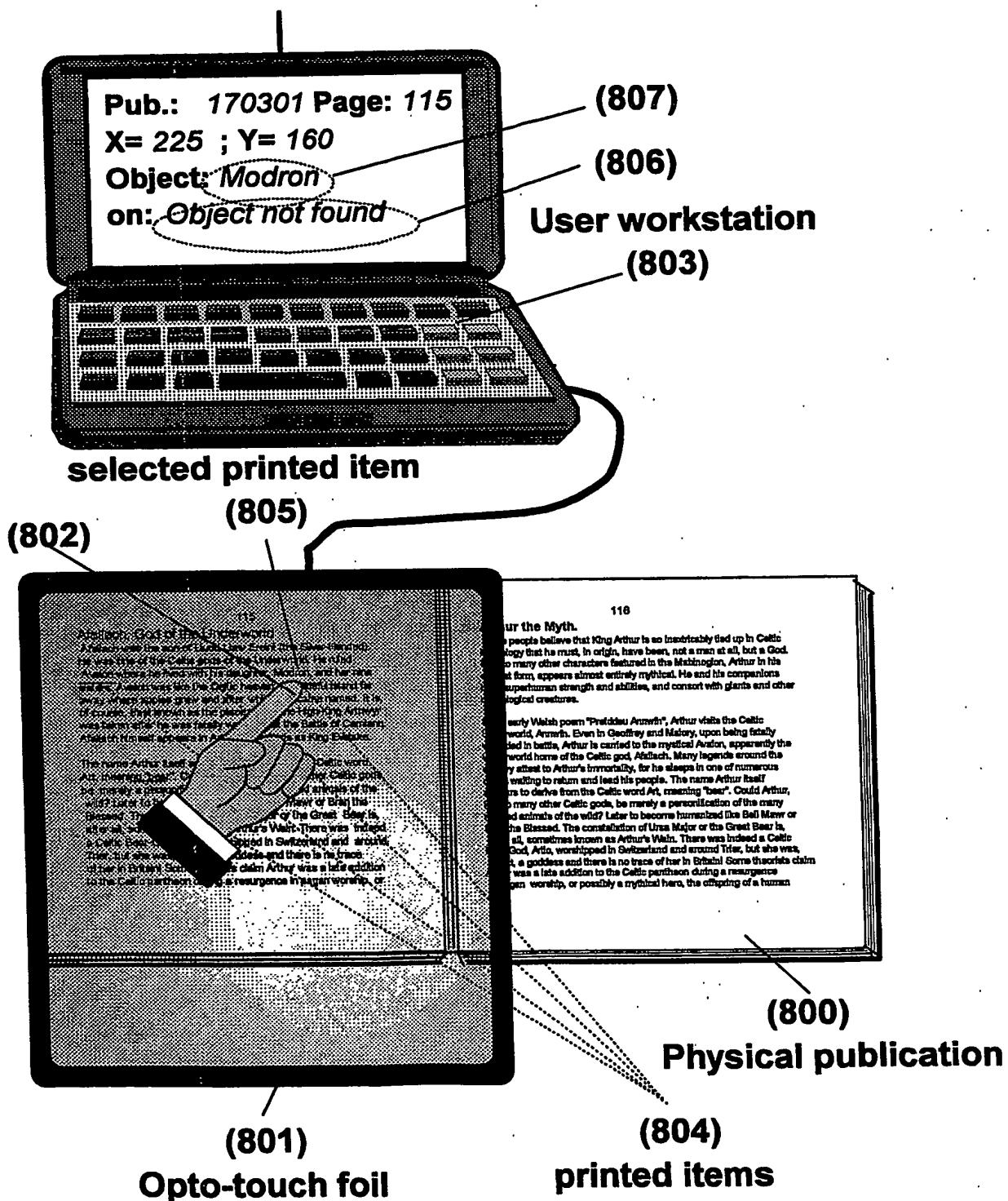


Fig. 8: The user touches the opto-touch foil over another item (e.g., Modron)

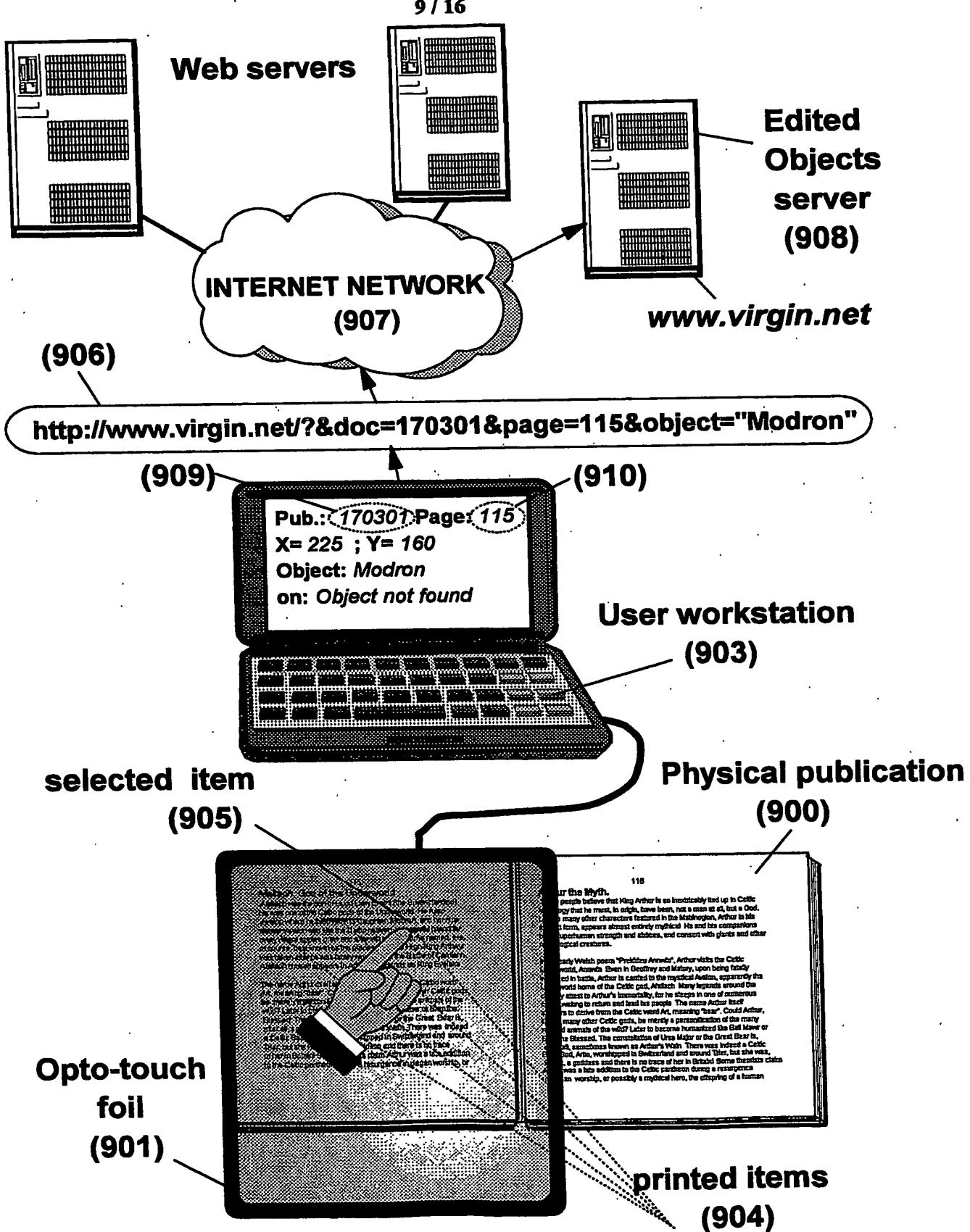


Fig. 9: If no licence has been purchased by the user, a request for information is sent to the Edited Objects server

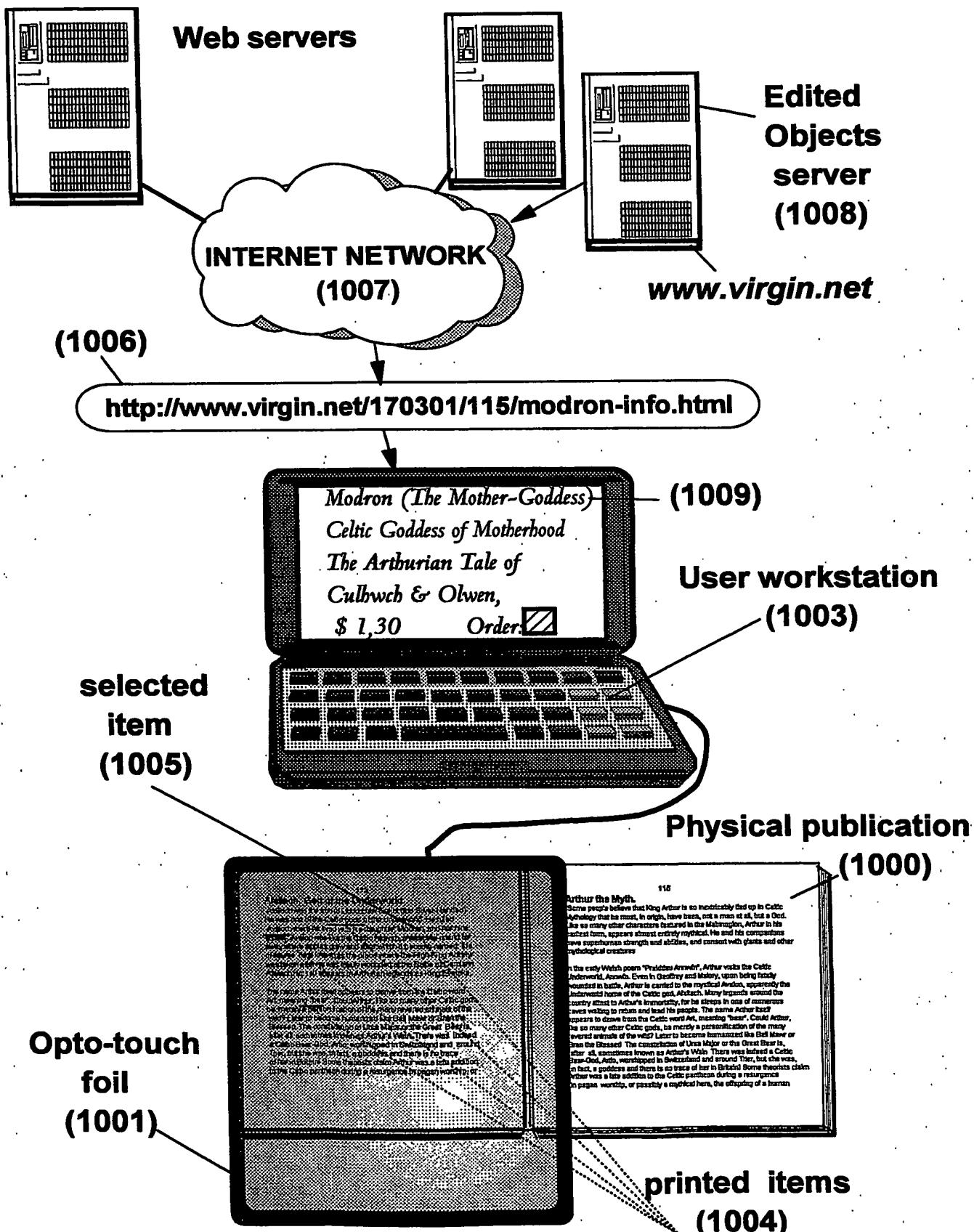


Fig. 10: A description of the edited object and ordering information are received from the Edited Objects server

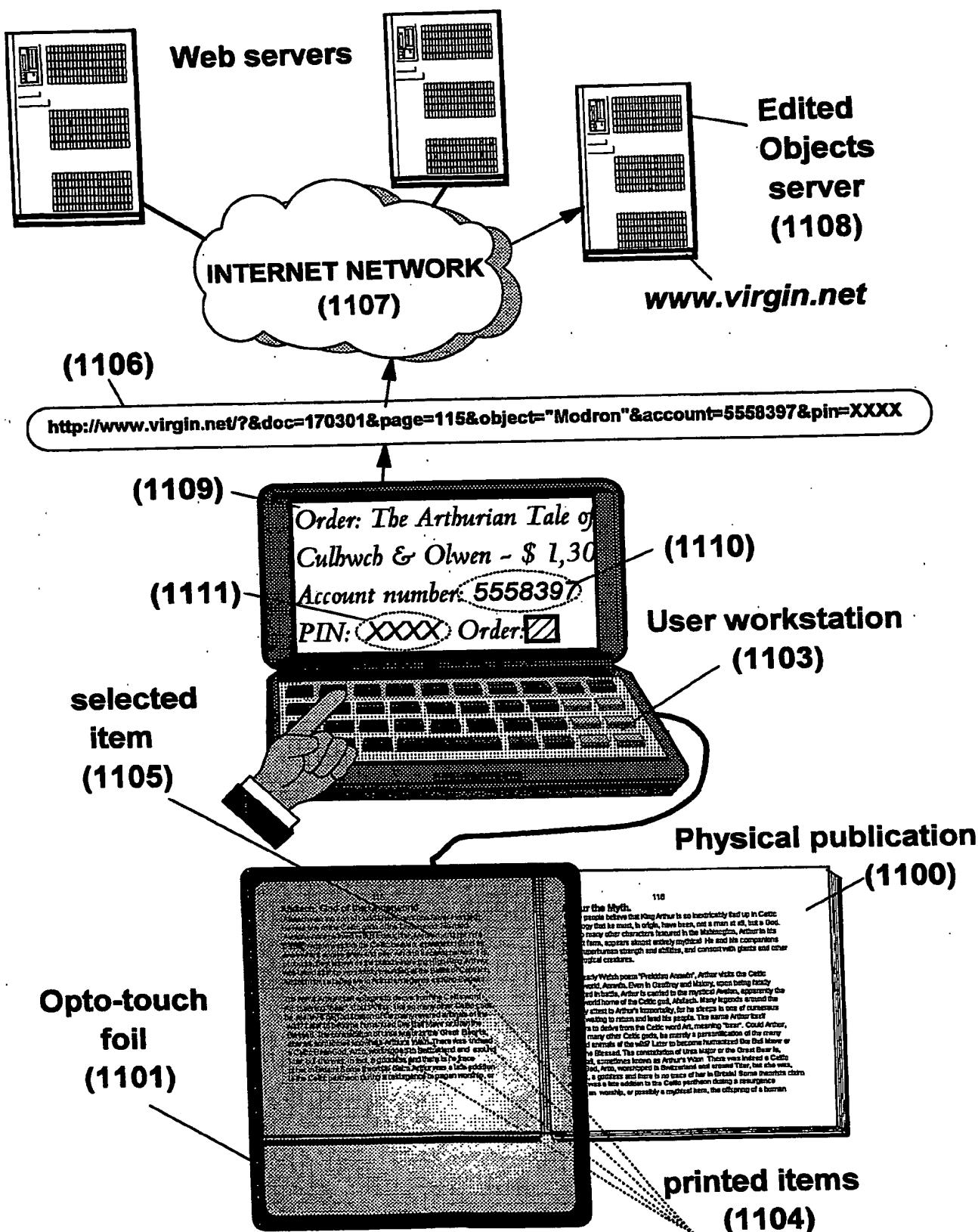


Fig. 11: The user places an order for the selected edited object

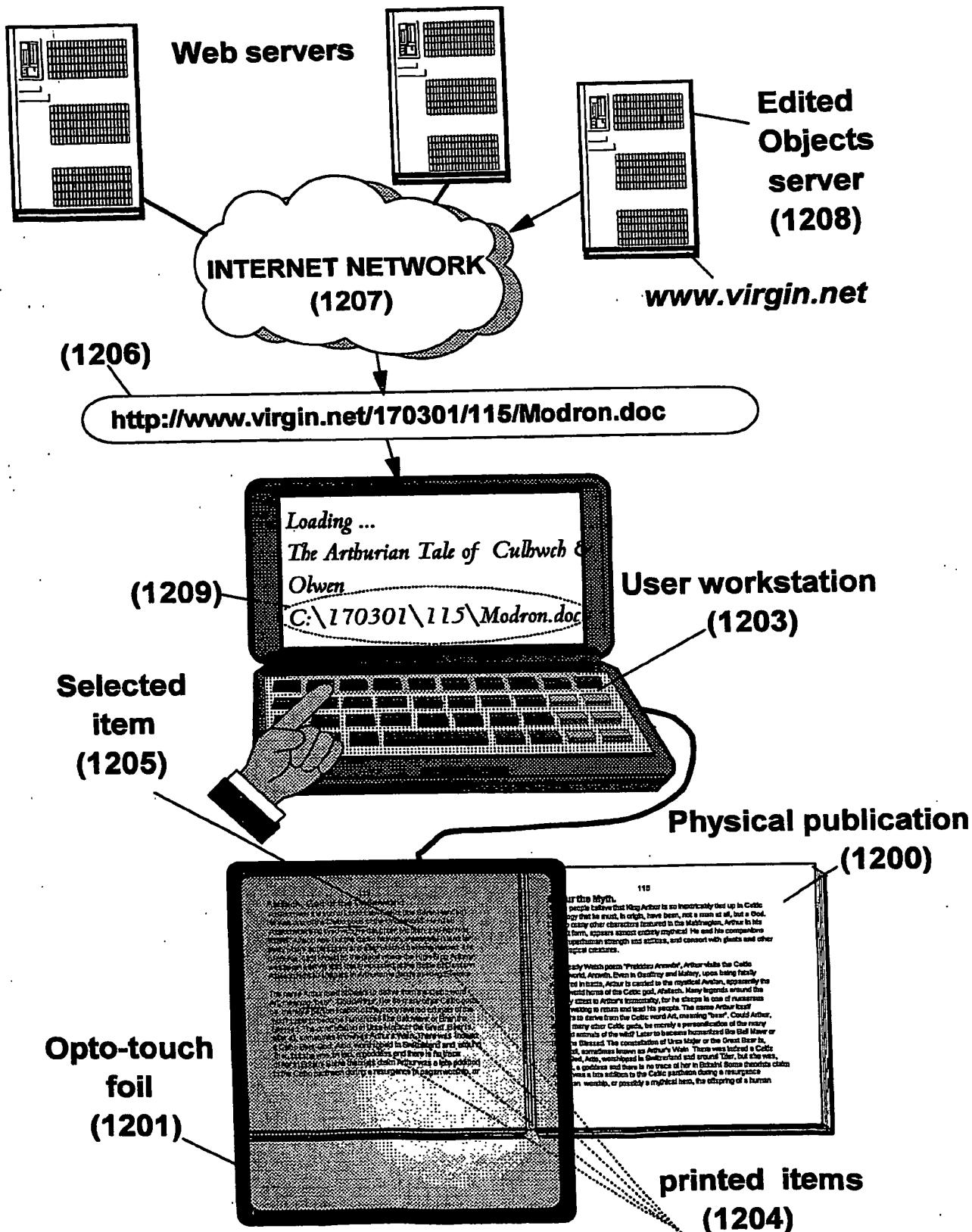


Fig. 12: The requested edited object is received from the Edited Objects server and is stored on the user workstation

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Fig. 13: The Edited Objects Table is updated with the file path to the received edited object

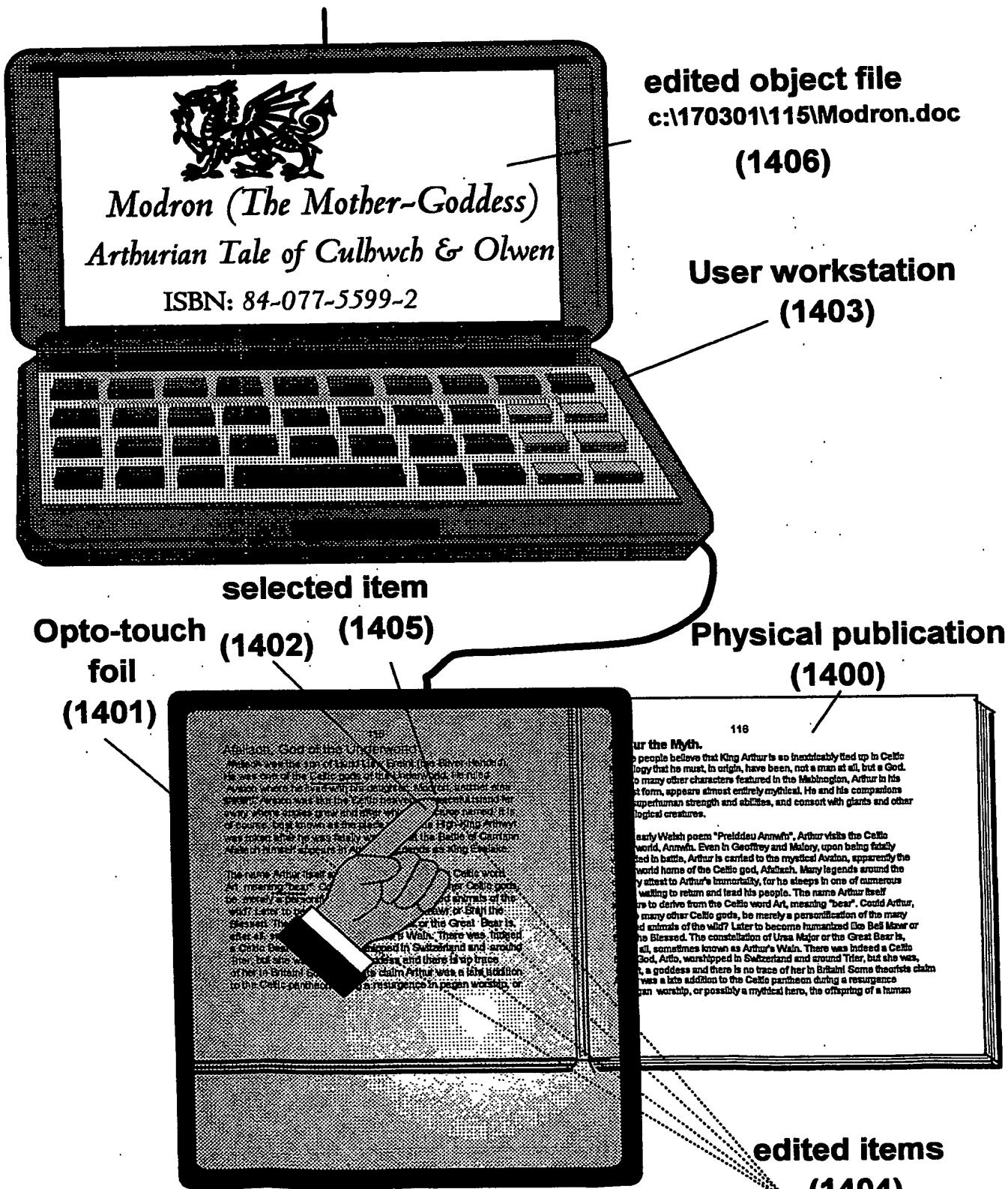


Fig. 14: When the user selects a printed item on the opto-touch foil, the associated edited object is retrieved and displayed on the user workstation

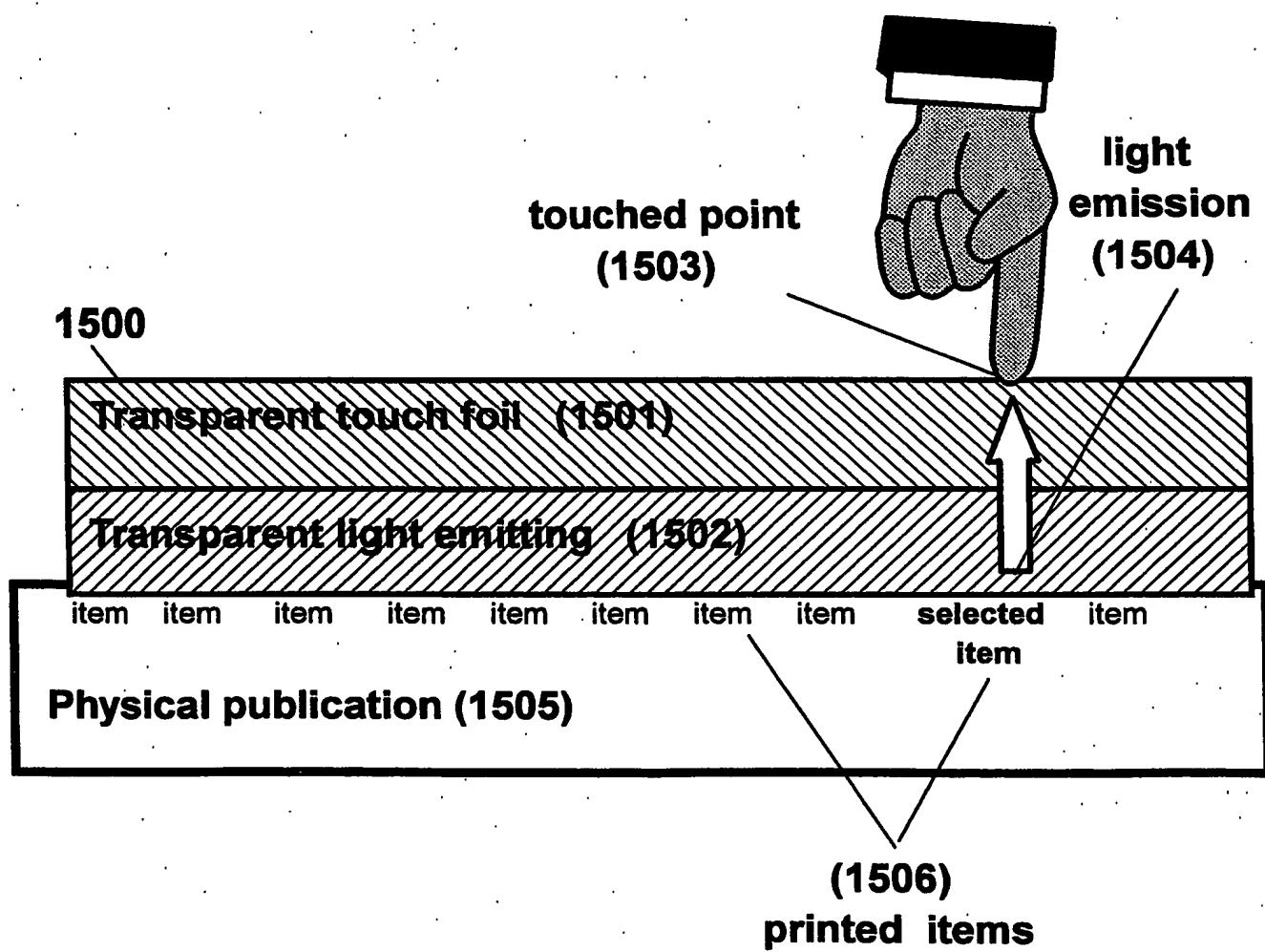


Fig. 15: Transparent opto-touch foil

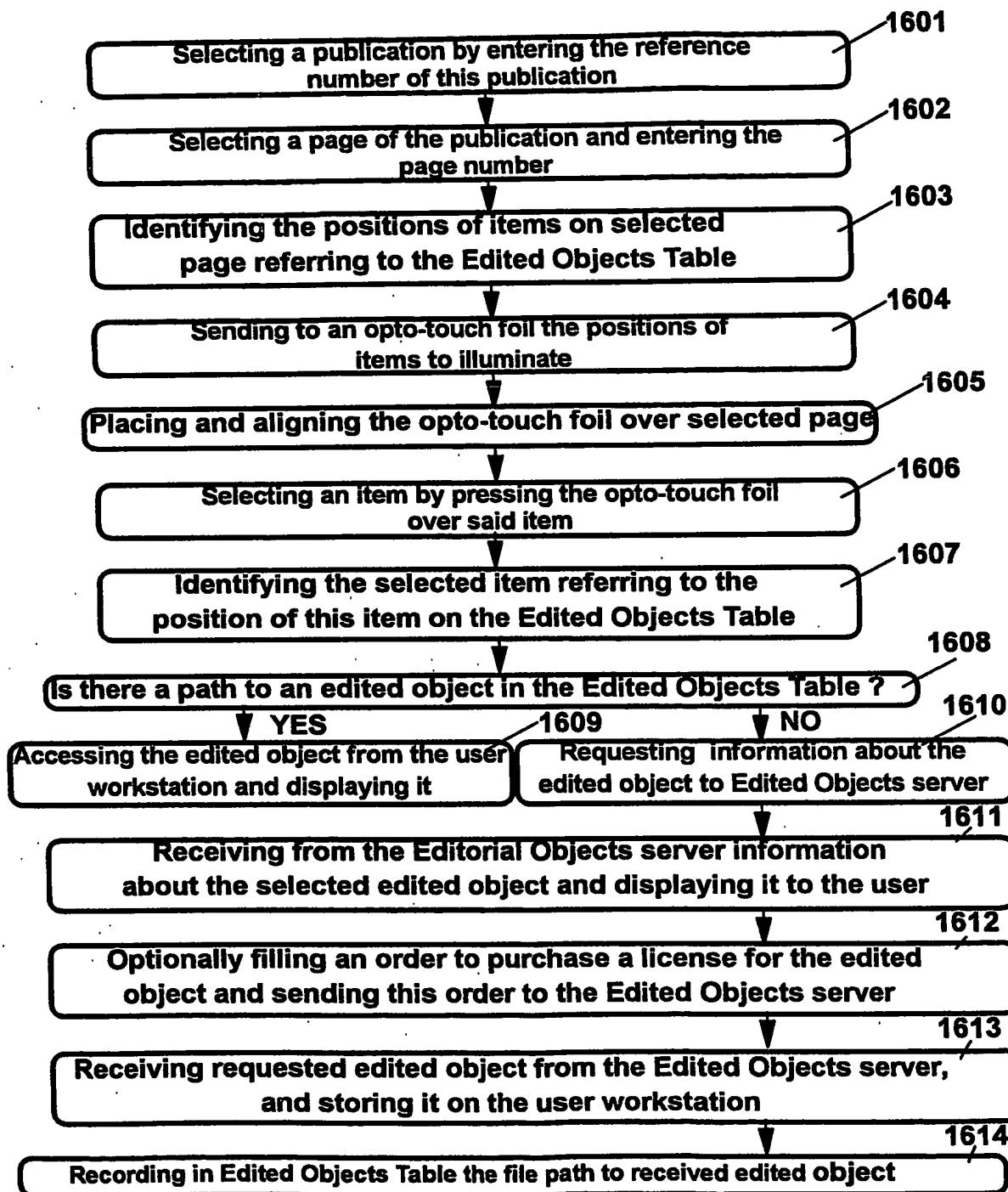


Fig. 16: Method for selecting, ordering, retrieving, accessing and displaying copyrighted edited objects from printed publications